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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$86 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$986 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$86

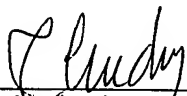
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- \$86 for 1 independent claims over 3.

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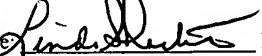
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Title: Time-Domain Wavelength Interleaved Network with Communications via Hub Node

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, June 28, 2004, Applicants submit herewith the following documents to complete the above-referenced patent application:

- (1) Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (2) Assignment with Recordation Cover Sheet; and
- (3) Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 and cited reference(s).

A copy of the Notice is enclosed herewith. Please charge **Deposit Account No. 50-0762** the amount of \$1,026.00, to cover the filing fees, the surcharge under 37 CFR §1.16(e) and the assignment recordation fee. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit **Deposit Account No. 50-0762** as required to correct the error. Duplicate copies of this letter are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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